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PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) and AMENDMENT

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions the Assistant Commissioner to grant an extension of time, up to and including November 5, 2006, in which to respond to the Office Action dated May 5, 2006 in the above-identified application. The extension fee may be charged to deposit account No. <u>50-1047</u>. In addition, any deficiencies may be charged to deposit account No. <u>50-1047</u>. In response to the Office Action dated May 5, 2006, the period therefore having been extended by a Petition therefore and payment of the extension fee, kindly amend the above-identified application as follows.

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